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Introduction

Welcome to Kolbe & Fanning's first catalogue devoted to numismatic exonomia. Exonomia is broadly defined as tokens, medals, scrip and other numismatic items besides regularly issued coins and paper money. By "numismatic exonomia," we refer to exonomia that pertains in some way to the coin collecting field. Examples might include tokens issued by coin dealers or collectors, medals depicting prominent collectors or scholars, badges produced for coin shows, "Good For" tokens or scrip issued by coin firms, and so on. Much of the material included in this catalogue was collected by our founder, George F. Kolbe, over the years. Some of it is very rare. Some of it is quite obscure. We think it is all very interesting and a lot of fun to boot, and we hope you agree.

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19TH-CENTURY AMERICAN EXONUMIA



1873 Boston Numismatic Society Medal in Brass

1 Boston Numismatic Society and New England Historic Genealogical Society. ISAAC F. WOOD MEMORIAL SERIES MEDAL HONORING PRESIDENT GRANT, IN BRASS. NGC MS64. R-MA-BO-13 Type II. 31.3 mm. Obverse bears the seal of the Boston Numismatic Society; reverse features that of the New England Historic Genealogical Society. Obverse legend PRESIDENCY OF ULYSSES S. GRANT / ★★★★★ / 1873 / ★★★★★. Reverse legend TWIN DELVERS IN THE GARDEN OF HISTORY / (ISAAC F. WOOD MEMORIAL SERIES). Denoted "D. No. 2" on obverse. Original surfaces with light orange toning developing in some of the more protected areas. Very attractive. **\$200**

A well-preserved example of this attractive medal designed by George H. Lovett of New York, featuring the Boston Numismatic Society's seal showing both sides of the NE threepence. The pieces were struck for Isaac F. Wood, the prominent numismatist, as part of a series memorializing the presidency of Gen. Grant—though their unclear wording could lead one to think they were struck in Wood's memory. Among the best numismatic-themed American medals of the nineteenth century.



1873 Boston Numismatic Society Medal in Copper

2 Boston Numismatic Society and New England Historic Genealogical Society. ISAAC F. WOOD MEMORIAL SERIES MEDAL HONORING PRESIDENT GRANT, IN COPPER. NGC MS64RB. R-MA-BO-13B Type II. 31.3 mm. Obverse bears the seal of the Boston Numismatic Society; reverse features that of the New England Historic Genealogical Society. Obverse legend PRESIDENCY OF ULYSSES S. GRANT / ★★★★★ / 1873 / ★★★★★. Reverse legend TWIN DELVERS IN THE GARDEN OF HISTORY / (ISAAC F. WOOD MEMORIAL SERIES). Denoted "D. No. 2" on obverse. Mostly red surfaces, with patch of brown between tops of threepence on obverse. An attractive specimen. **\$200**

Part of the same series as the above, but struck in copper.



1860 Edward Cogan Store Card

3 Cogan, Edward. STORE CARD DATED 1860. Rulau Pa-90B. Brass. Reeded edge. 20.6 mm. 4.34 g. Obverse EDWARD COGAN / COIN / DEALER. / 48 / N. TENTH ST. / PHILADELPHIA. Reverse 1860 within laurel wreath. Dies unsigned. Mottled yellow and tan surfaces. About uncirculated. **\$95**

A decent specimen of this Cogan store card, from the early years of his numismatic career.



Attractive Edward Cogan Store Card

4 Cogan, Edward. STORE CARD OFFERING TO BUY COINS. Rulau Pa-101. Copper. Plain edge. 20.6 mm. 3.73 g. Obverse EDWARD COGAN / COIN / DEALER. / 48 / N. TENTH ST. / PHILADELPHIA. Reverse THE HIGHEST PREMIUM / GIVEN / FOR RARE / AMERICAN / COPPER & / SILVER COINS. Dies unsigned. An attractive uncirculated example with mint red in some protected areas and light red and blue iridescent toning. **\$125**

A lovely example of this Cogan store card, which shares an obverse die with the above.



Dickeson's Coin & Medal Safe

5 Dickeson, Montroville (Evans & Watson). MEDAL ADVERTISING DICKESON'S COIN & MEDAL SAFE (c. 1859). GW 257 (very scarce). Rulau Pa-Ph 32. Brass. Plain edge. 32.1 mm diameter, 3.4 mm thick. 21.77 g. Obverse: naked bust of Washington, right, GEORGE WASHINGTON above, SECURITY below. Reverse: coin safe in center, flanked by a star on each side, EVANS & WATSON above, MAKERS below, surrounding legend, DICKESON'S COIN & MEDAL SAFE / 304 CHESTNUT ST. PHILADELPHIA. Obverse die signed R.L. below truncation of neck, with LOVETT in very small letters on the truncation itself. Reverse unsigned. A few scattered nicks and a reverse thumbprint do not detract much from what is still a lustrous uncirculated example. **\$225**

An attractive specimen of this piece, the dies for which were produced by Robert Lovett around 1859 (though Rulau pegs it at a decade later). Advertised in the 1860 second edition of Montroville Dickeson's *American Numismatic Manual*, the coin safe manufactured by Evans & Watson would appear to be the only commercial product of the 19th century whose marketing strategy depended on its endorsement by a prominent numismatist! Though included in the usual references as a token, the weight and thickness of it suggest that referring to it as a medal is not inappropriate.



William Idler Store Card in Silver

6 Idler, William. STORE CARD IN SILVER WITH BUST OF WASHINGTON (c. 1860). GW 266 (very scarce). Rulau Pa-229A. Baker 545. Silver. Plain edge. 20.5 mm diameter. 5.62 g. Obverse: naked bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right. Reverse: text W. IDLER / DEALER IN / COINS, / MINERALS, / SHELLS, / ANTIQUES & C. / 111 N. 9TH ST. PHILADA. Obverse die signed LOVETT in small letters under bust. Very light rubbing to highest points; some edge roughness that may be as struck. An attractive, about uncirculated piece with old cabinet toning. **\$250**

Idler issued several different store cards in a variety of different metals. These dies were used to produce tokens in brass, silver, white metal, copper and nickel. Our attribution of this as silver is based partly on its weight (it can't be white metal) and partly on the toning of the piece, which is precisely what we would expect on a silver token that had not been cleaned. The LOVETT signature is faint, as struck.



William Idler Store Card in Copper

7 Idler, William. STORE CARD IN COPPER WITH BUST OF WASHINGTON (c. 1860). GW 266 (scarce). Rulau Pa-230A. Baker 545. Copper. Plain edge. 20.5 mm diameter. 5.02 g. Obverse: naked bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right. Reverse: text W. IDLER / DEALER IN / COINS, / MINERALS, / SHELLS, / ANTIQUES & C. / 111 N. 9TH. S^T. PHILADA. Obverse die signed LOVETT in small letters under bust. Nice red-brown color; a few carbon spots on the obverse, most noticeable in Washington's hair. The reverse is very attractive. **\$65**

The same token as above, but in copper. The LOVETT signature is nearly effaced, as struck, possibly indicating that this was struck after the above.



Unlisted Store Card for F.C. Key & Sons, Die Sinkers & Medalists

8 Key, F.C. & Sons. WHITE METAL STORE CARD. Unlisted. Undated (c. 1857). White metal. Plain edge. 28.2 mm diameter, irregular thickness. 11.79 g. Obverse: draped bust of Edwin Forrest, right, within laurel wreath. Reverse: text F. C. KEY & SONS / DIE SINKERS & MEDALISTS / 123 / ARCH S^T / PHILAD^A, surrounded by circle of stars near rim. Dies unsigned. Light wear to highest points of high-relief obverse design. Extremely fine or better, with remaining luster. **\$250**

A die pairing unlisted in the latest edition of the Rulau book, being the obverse die for Pa-262A married to the reverse die of Pa-263M.



Dual Store Card for William H. Key and J.H. Diehl, Engravers & Medalists

9 Key, Wm. H., and J.H. Diehl. UNUSUAL DUAL STORE CARD. Rulau Pa-Ph 188. Undated (1869–80). Copper. Plain edge. 22.9 mm diameter. 5.42 g. Obverse: Grecian head left, LIBERTY inscribed on coronet. Reverse: PHILADELPHIA arranged vertically, to left J. H. DIEHL, / MANUFACTURER OF / MEDALS, / N^O. 728 CHESTNUT S^T., to right WM. H. KEY, / ENGRAVER, / N^O. 12 STH. 37TH. S^T. Obverse die signed KEY F. on truncation. Red-brown uncirculated; some edge roughness as struck. **\$100**

An unusual, fun design, advertising the businesses of two related firms.



Libertas Americana Store Card for John W. Kline

10 Kline, John W. U.S. CENTENNIAL STORE CARD WITH LIBERTAS AMERICANA MOTIF. JAB K-5. Rulau Pa-Ph 205A. Undated (1876). White metal (tin?). Plain edge. 25.5 mm diameter. 7.19 g. Obverse: Liberty head, left, with liberty cap on pole, above LIBERTAS. AMERICANA., in exergue 4 JUL • 1776. Reverse: surrounding margins, JOHN W. KLINE, 212 SOUTH 8TH. S^T. / PHILADELPHIA., in center, MANUFACTURER OF / MEDALS / TOKENS, CARDS & C. / IMPORTER & DEALER IN / COINS, / MEDALS, / SHELLS, MINERALS / ENGRAVINGS / AND / CURIOSITIES. Obverse die signed BOLEN on truncation. Scattered marks, especially to obverse, which also shows some rubbing to highest points of Liberty's cheeks and hair. Extremely fine. **\$75**

A centennial medal with a popular design issued by this enigmatic 19th-century coin dealer.



Robert Lovett, Jr. Store Card Featuring Same Head as Confederate Cent

11 Lovett Jr., Robert. 1860 STORE CARD FOR ENGRAVING AND DIE-SINKING SERVICES. Rulau Pa 354. Brass. Plain edge. 19.0 mm diameter. 4.21 g. Obverse: Liberty head, left, wearing Phrygian cap, surrounding legend R. LOVETT, JR. ENGRAVER & DIE SINKER., below 1860. Reverse: maize wreath, within 200 / SO. / FIFTH ST., surrounding METALLIC BUSINESS CARDS / PHILADELPHIA. Dies unsigned. A few spots, but still an attractive uncirculated example. **\$100**

An attractive store card, most popular now because the Liberty head device used on the obverse is the same one that Lovett used for the Confederate cent.



One-Stop Shopping: Toys, Fancy Goods, Fishing Tackle and Rare Coins

12 Marshall, Morgan L. 1863 STORE CARD FOR OSWEGO, NEW YORK COIN DEALER. Fuld NY-695-A-2a. R1. Copper/bronze. Plain (rounded) edge. 19.2 mm diameter. 3.56 g. Obverse: a fish, left, with date 1863 beneath; above, M.L. MARSHALL; below, ★ OSWEGO, N. Y. ★. Reverse: text (curved) TOYS, FANCY GOODS, / ★ / FISHING TACKLE / AND / (curved) RARE COIN. Dies unsigned. Red and purple toning over orange-red surfaces indicate a probable cleaning long ago; extremely fine. **\$35**

One of the very few Civil War tokens that is also the store card for a coin dealer, albeit a minor one. The seemingly odd juxtaposition of fishing tackle and rare coins continues to amuse collectors to this day.



1859 Augustus B. Sage Token Depicting Charles I. Bushnell

13 Sage, Augustus B. SAGE'S NUMISMATIC GALLERY TOKEN DEPICTING CHARLES I. BUSHNELL. Copper. Plain edge. 30.8 mm. 11.08 g. Obverse with bust of Bushnell, left, CHARLES I. to left, BUSHNELL. to right. Reverse reading A.B. SAGE'S / NUMISMATIC / GALLERY / NO 1 within wreath. Engraved by George H. Lovett, though unsigned. Holed at top. Scattered marks, especially to obverse; reverse with some spotting. About uncirculated, with some luster remaining. **\$75**
The first token in a series of nine issued by dealer Augustus B. Sage to memorialize some of the more prominent American collectors of the day. It is discussed at length by Q. David Bowers in *American Numismatics before the Civil War*, who notes that of the various pieces comprising the Numismatic Gallery series, the Bushnell token "has been in the greatest demand by collectors, due to the fame of Bushnell himself" (page 252). This token was not issued holed for suspension, though this specimen was obviously holed for just such a purpose probably at the time of issue.



1887 Constitutional Centennial Celebration Medal Featuring A. Loudon Snowden

14 [Snowden, A. Loudon]. SMALL MEDAL STRUCK FOR 1887 CONSTITUTIONAL CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION. Rulau Pa-Ph 396. Brass. Plain edge. 25.4 mm. 6.82 g. Obverse with bust of Snowden, right, legend A. LOUDON SNOWDEN above, ° MARSHAL ° below. Reverse with center reading STRUCK / & DISTRIBUTED / IN THE / CIVIC & INDUSTRI-

AL / PROCESSION / SEPT. 15., surrounding legend CENTENNIAL OF THE CONSTITUTION / ° 1787–1887 °. A tiny bit of rubbing; about uncirculated, with some luster remaining. **\$50** Snowden served as the Marshal of the 1887 Constitutional Centennial celebration held in Philadelphia, for which occasion this small medal was struck.



U.S. Mint Medal Struck at Columbian Exposition

15 United States Mint. SOUVENIR MEDAL STRUCK AT 1893 COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION. Eglit-253. Gilt brass. Plain edge. 13.4 mm. 1.44 g. Holed at top, as issued. Obverse: Mint building, U. S. MINT above, PHILA. / 1832 below, within beaded border. Reverse: the “Our Father” in 15 lines within double border of rays and beads. Uncirculated and bright. **\$25** These are U.S. Mint products, having been produced at the Mint’s exhibit at the 1893 Columbian Exposition in Chicago.



Scarce Gem Uncirculated W. Elliot Woodward 5-cent Scrip

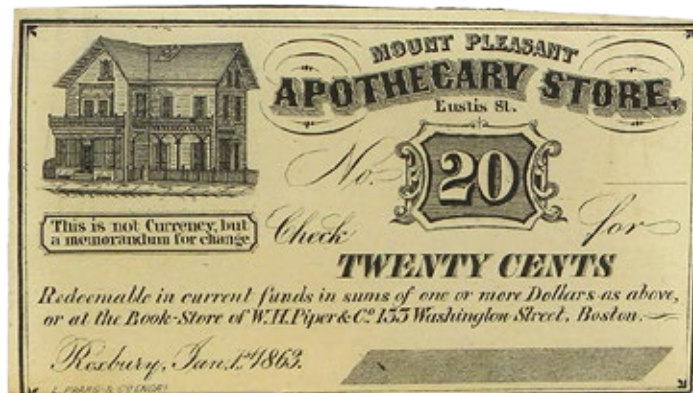
16 Woodward, W. Elliot. 5 CENT SCRIP FROM W. ELLIOT WOODWARD’S MT. PLEASANT APOTHECARY STORE. PMG 65 EPQ. Unissued remainder. Roxbury, Massachusetts, Jan. 1, 1863. 57 by 101 mm. Well centered; graded 65 EPQ by PMG. **\$400**

Woodward moved to Roxbury and established an apothecary shop in 1848. He issued scrip in denominations of 5 cents and 20 cents presumably because of the shortage of small change during the Civil War. While the 20 cent notes are available reasonably often, the 5-cent notes are far less frequently seen. This is by far the highest graded example we’ve handled.



Extremely Fine W. Elliot Woodward 5-cent Scrip

17 Woodward, W. Elliot. 5 CENT SCRIP FROM W. ELLIOT WOODWARD’S MT. PLEASANT APOTHECARY STORE. Unissued remainder. Roxbury, Massachusetts, Jan. 1, 1863. 57 by 101 mm. Centered with all margins showing, though left is tight; heavy vertical fold in center, somewhat lighter horizontal fold; minor spot and corner wear. Extremely fine. **\$100** A lower-grade example of a still-scarce note.



W. Elliot Woodward 20-cent Scrip

18 Woodward, W. Elliot. 20 CENT SCRIP FROM W. ELLIOT WOODWARD’S MT. PLEASANT APOTHECARY STORE. Unissued remainder. Roxbury, Massachusetts, Jan. 1, 1863. 57 by 100 mm. Lower margin trimmed, right margin tight. No folds. Uncirculated (61). **\$50** As mentioned above, these were issued by Woodward during the Civil War due to the shortage of small change, though he is careful to state “This is not currency, but a memorandum for change” on the note.

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See Next Section for American Numismatic Association Medals, Convention Badges, Etc.



Arnold Numismatic Company Token in Red Plastic

19 Arnold Numismatic Company. STORE CARD IN RED PLASTIC. 29.1 mm. 1.37 g. Obverse ARNOLD NUMISMATIC CO. ★ PROVIDENCE, R.I., U.S.A. ★ surrounding central text • LARGE • COIN • / • CATALOGUE • / PRICE 15 CENTS / • PROFUSELY • / • ILLUSTRATED •. Reverse with arms central, flanked by his SAR and ANA numbers, surrounding legend IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN RARE COINS, with ESTABLISHED / 1879 below. Light wear, especially at rims. Very fine or better. **\$30**

Usually found in aluminum, though also known in copper. George Carpenter Arnold (1868–1938) operated the Arnold Numismatic Company from at least 1902 to 1937, having held a mail-bid sale in the former year. The lack of a street address on the token makes attributing it to a more specific time period difficult. It seems fair to say that the “Established 1879” is a bit of an overstatement.



Arnold Numismatic Company Token in Aluminum

20 Arnold Numismatic Company. STORE CARD IN ALUMINUM. 29.1 mm. 2.83 g. Obverse ARNOLD NUMISMATIC CO. ★ PROVIDENCE, R.I., U.S.A. surrounding central text • LARGE • COIN • / • CATALOGUE • / PRICE 15 CENTS / • PROFUSELY • / • ILLUSTRATED •. Reverse with arms central, flanked by his SAR and ANA numbers, surrounding legend IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN RARE COINS, with ESTABLISHED / 1879 below. Lustrous; a few marks. About uncirculated. **\$35**

The same token as above, but struck in aluminum.



George Bauer's Extraordinary Store Card

21 Bauer, George J. STORE CARD BASED ON SYRACUSAN DECADRACHM. Nickel [?]. Scalloped edge. Diameter varies between approximately 34 and 35 mm. 23.63 g. Obverse: Arethusa, left, surrounded by dolphins. Reverse text: (curved) GEORGE J. BAUER / (curved) NUMISMATIST / ROCHESTER, N.Y. / A.N.A. / LIFE MEMBER No. 4 / (curved) A.N.S. — R.N.A. Dies unsigned, but by Alphonse Kolb. Lustrous; a few minor marks. About uncirculated. **\$50**

An exceptional store card, one of the most elaborate in the American series. Bauer became Life Member number 4 at the time he was elected to the ANA's Board in 1933. Alphonse Kolb, of the Bastian Brother firm of Rochester, New York, executed the dies (which still exist), probably in the 1920s.



Gasparro by Gasparro

22 Bowers & Merena Galleries. ONE OUNCE SILVER ROUND DEPICTING CHIEF ENGRAVER FRANK GASPARRO. Designed by Frank Gasparro. 1985. 39 mm. 1 troy ounce .999 fine silver. Obverse: Gasparro, seated, working on a representation of the Bowers & Merena griffin design, FRANK GASPARRO above, CHIEF ENGRAVER / U.S. MINT / 1965–1981 below. Reverse: the Bowers & Merena griffin, right, BOWERS AND MERENA GALLERIES INC. above, 1985 below. Both dies signed FG by Gasparro. Encased in plastic holder and stand, as issued. **\$30**

Part of a series of silver rounds designed by retired Chief Engraver Frank Gasparro commissioned by Bowers & Merena Galleries in 1985. This particular round is of more than passing interest as it depicts Gasparro himself, working on the design for what is used here as the reverse die.

1937 Bronx Coin Club Medal Celebrating 50th Meeting

23 Bronx Coin Club. 50TH MEETING CELEBRATION MEDAL. 1937. Copper-nickel. 31.9 mm. 11.45 g. Obverse marginal legend THE BRONX COIN CLUB ★ 1933 ★ ; at center FIRST / PRESIDENT / OTTO T. SGHIA / 1933–1937. Reverse: Four-leaf clover at top, text following FOURTH / ANNIVERSARY / AND / FIFTIETH MEETING / HELD / OCT. 27, 1937 / 50. Dies unsigned. A few spots. Lustrous about uncirculated. **\$40**

One of several early medals issued by this club, usually in commemoration of various milestone meetings or anniversaries. See following.

1941 Bronx Coin Club Medal Celebrating 100th Meeting

24 Bronx Coin Club. 100TH MEETING CELEBRATION MEDAL. 1941. Copper-nickel. 32.1 mm. 11.02 g. Obverse marginal legend THE BRONX COIN CLUB ★ 1933 ★ ; at center bust of Jonas Bronck with hat, half left, JONAS BRONCK below. Reverse: marginal legend 100TH MEETING / · DECEMBER 17, 1941 ; center, OFFICERS: / H.J. STEIN / M.F. KORTJOHN / D.M. BULLOWA / G.R. KENNEDY. Dies unsigned. Lustrous uncirculated. **\$60**

The reverse die appears to have been lapped and recut more than once, with some resultant weakness in a few of the letters. This and the above medal are depicted in the section dealing with other clubs formed by members of the New York Numismatic Club in *An Island of Diversity* (Kleeberg and Alexander, 2009).

1948 Bronx Coin Club Medal Celebrating 15th Anniversary

25 Bronx Coin Club. 15TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION MEDAL. 1948. Brass. 32.3 mm. 13.31 g. Obverse marginal legend THE BRONX COIN CLUB ★ 1933 ★ ; at center bust of Jonas Bronck with hat, half left, JONAS BRONCK below. Reverse marginal legend THE BRONX COIN CLUB ★ 1933 ★ ; center text, 15TH / ANNIVERSARY / MEETING / (curved) OCT. 27, 1948. Dies unsigned. A spot or two; a tiny bit of rub to highest points of Bronck's face. About uncirculated. **\$40**

The Bronx Coin Club continues today, though most of its meetings are held in Manhattan.





1929 Buffalo Numismatic Association Token

26 Buffalo Numismatic Association. 1929 BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION TOKEN. Red plastic, thick planchet. 28.2 mm. 2.05 g. Obverse text BUFFALO / NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION / ORGANIZED / MAY 13, / 1927. Reverse text — / PRESIDENT / E.A. GILROY, JR. / TREASURER / H.M. MORGAN / SECRETARY / R.H. LLOYD / 1929. Dies unsigned. Uncirculated. **\$30**
An early token from this New York coin club, still active today.



1943 Buffalo Numismatic Association Tokens in Eight Different Compositions

27 Buffalo Numismatic Association. 1943 BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION TOKENS. Eight examples, all identical but in different compositions: silver [?], brass, dark red plastic (thick), dark blue plastic (thick), black plastic (thick), red plastic (thin), gray plastic (thin) and black plastic (thin). Obverse text: BUFFALO / NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION / ORGANIZED / MAY 13, / 1927. Reverse text — / PRESIDENT / DR. J.H. WILD / TREASURER / J.M. TAYLOR / SECRETARY / C.T. PRICKETT / 1943. Dies unsigned. Silver and brass pieces extremely fine to about uncirculated; plastic ones essentially uncirculated. **\$80**
A remarkable variety of compositions for a single token. The metal ones appear to be quite scarce, though we have no idea as to mintage figures for them.



Ray Byrne's Octagonal Numismatist Token

28 Byrne, Ray. OCTAGONAL NUMISMATIST TOKEN. Undated (mid-1960s?). Brass. Plain edge. 24.8 mm across. 4.20 g. Obverse text: (curved) RAY BYRNE / 701 / N. NEGLEY / AVE. / (curved) PITTSBURGH, PA. 15206. Reverse: (curved) GOOD FOR / ★ 1 ★ / (curved) DRINK. Spot at 1 of address. Uncirculated. **\$25**
A Pittsburgh native, Byrne was a funeral director, part time scout for the Pittsburgh Steelers, and lifelong numismatist. His famous collection of *Coins and Tokens of the Caribbees* was sold at auction by Jess Peters in 1975.



1961 Coin World Civil War Medal

29 Coin World. CIVIL WAR CENTENNIAL MEDAL. 1961. Silvered bronze(?). Plain edge. 31.3 mm. 12.89 g. Obverse text: busts of Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, each identified underneath, surrounding legend 1861 – CENTENNIAL – 1961 / WAR BETWEEN THE STATES. Reverse: Coin World logo in center, surrounding legend THE WEEKLY NEWSPAPER / OF THE ENTIRE NUMISMATIC FIELD. Textured surfaces; uncirculated. **\$25**
An early *Coin World* medal (the newspaper only being established the year before).



1985 Coin World 25th Anniversary Medal

30 Coin World. 25TH ANNIVERSARY MEDAL. 1985. Aluminum. Reeded edge. 39.3 mm. Obverse: Coin World logo in center, surrounding legend 25th ANNIVERSARY / SIDNEY, OHIO. Reverse: SERVING NUMISMATICS in rectangle in center, (curved) COIN WORLD / 25 / YEARS, open wreath at base. Uncirculated.

\$15

Coin World had an enormous circulation in the 1980s and played a very important role in the hobby.



Collectors Club of Boston 1960 ANA Token

31 Collectors Club of Boston. 15TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE TOKEN STRUCK FOR DISTRIBUTION AT THE 1960 ANA CONVENTION. Nickel [?]. Scalloped edge. Diameter varies between 24 and 25 mm. 5.22 g. Obverse: reproduction of a Pine Tree shilling obverse. Reverse: in center, A.N.A. / CONVENTION / BOSTON / 1960, surrounding legend COLLECTORS CLUB OF BOSTON / 15th ANNIVERSARY with beaded margin. Dies unsigned. Lightly toned uncirculated.

\$35

An attractive token. See the listing for Royal Coin Company for an earlier use of the same obverse die.



1919 Store Card of William F. Dunham

32 Dunham, William F. ONE MILL STORE CARD ISSUED BY WILLIAM F. DUNHAM. TC-69247. TAMS 843. Aluminum. Plain edge. 26.4 mm. 1.82 g. Obverse text within beaded margin: (curved) WILLIAM F. DUNHAM / -- / ONE / MILL / -- / (curved) 1919. Reverse text within beaded margin: (curved) GEORGE WASHINGTON / -- / ONE / DISME / -- / (curved) 1792. Dies unsigned. Some minor marks. About uncirculated.

\$50

A scarce store card of William Forrester Dunham, whose landmark collection was sold by B. Max Mehl in 1941. Dunham apparently issued a similar card in 1933.



EAC 1976 Convention Paperweight

33 Early American Coppers. EARLY AMERICAN COPPERS (EAC) PAPERWEIGHT ISSUED FOR 1976 CONVENTION. Approx. 1.75 by 1.75 by 0.75 inch block of polished gray marble on top of which has been affixed a well-executed enamel and metal EAC logo with a Liberty Cap design. Fine or nearly so.

\$50

The first we recall seeing. Apparently distributed by John Wright.



Early American Coppers 25th Anniversary Medal in Silver

34 Early American Coppers (EAC). TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY MEDAL FOR EAC STRUCK IN SILVER. 38.8 mm. 30.1 g (somewhat shy of a troy ounce). .999 fine silver. Obverse: depiction of the draped bust design used on early large cents (based on S-187 complete with simulated die cracks), LIBERTY above, FOUNDED / 1967 below. Reverse: wreath design also resembling that used on early cents, surrounding legend EARLY AMERICAN COPPERS, with 25 / YEARS within wreath and 1967/1992 below; a tiny circle of stars appears below the denticles. Uncirculated. **\$85**

The 25th anniversary medals were struck for EAC and offered throughout the year in the pages of *Penny-Wise*. Only 130 were struck in silver, the mintage being strictly limited to the number of advance orders received.



Early American Coppers 25th Anniversary Medal in Copper

35 Early American Coppers (EAC). TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY MEDAL FOR EAC STRUCK IN COPPER. 38.8 mm. 32.34 g (somewhat more than a troy ounce). Obverse: depiction of the draped bust design used on early large cents (based on S-187 complete with simulated die cracks), LIBERTY above, FOUNDED / 1967 below. Reverse: wreath design also resembling that used on early cents, surrounding legend EARLY AMERICAN COPPERS, with 25 / YEARS within wreath and 1967/1992 below; a tiny circle of stars appears below the denticles. Uncirculated. **\$35**

According to one ad in *Penny-Wise*, the copper anniversary medals were struck in a "large batch," though just how large a batch was unstated).



Tom Elder's First (Official) Store Card

36 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD DATED 1902 ADVERTISING ELDER'S FIRST BUSINESS IN PITTSBURGH. DeLorey 3. Aluminum. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 2.52 g. Obverse text: THOMAS L. ELDER / -★- / 238 / SHERIDAN AVENUE / PITTSBURGH, PA. U.S.A. / Move et Proficio / AUG. 4, 1902. / AETAS 28. Reverse text: IMPORTER AND DEALER IN / ANCIENT / AND / MODERN COINS, / PAPER MONEY, / CURIOS, / CUT GEM STONES, ETC. / FREE PRICE LISTS. / GOODS SENT FOR / EXAMINATION. Dies unsigned. Some light scratches. Prooflike about uncirculated. **\$150**

Thomas K. DeLorey, *Thomas L. Elder: A Catalogue of His Tokens and Medals*: "The first store card acknowledged by Elder, it was illustrated in the November 1902 issue of *The Numismatist*." The August 4 date may be the date on which Elder established his business (it was not his birthday, which could be suggested by the following line). An earlier version of this token had been produced, but Elder suppressed it upon discovering that *Proficio* was spelled *Profico* on it.



An Early Tom Elder Store Card in Brass

37 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD DATED 1906 ADVERTISING ELDER'S BUSINESS AND THE ELDER MONTHLY. DeLorey 4. Brass. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 7.47 g. Obverse text: COINS AND MEDALS OF ALL AGES / BOUGHT / AND SOLD / THOMAS L. ELDER / 32 EAST / 23RD STREET / NEW YORK CITY / CARD No. 3—OCT. 1, 1906. Reverse text: COLLECTIONS OF COINS, MEDALS, ETC. / SOLD AT / PUBLIC AUCTION / IN NEW YORK / WRITE FOR TERMS / •THE ELDER MONTHLY• / A COLLECTOR'S MAGAZINE / 50¢ PER YEAR. Dies unsigned. Some light scratches. Prooflike about uncirculated. **\$200**

One of only 100 struck in brass, according to DeLorey. An early Elder card, advertising his *Elder Monthly*.



More Enduring than Books... in Brass

38 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD ISSUED 1906–07 EXTOLLING THE PERMANENCE OF COINS. DeLorey 5. Brass. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 10.16 g. Obverse: bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right, 1789 1889 above, INAUGURAL CENTENNIAL IN NEW YORK around. Reverse text: MORE ENDURING THAN BOOKS, / OR / CUSTOMS, / OR NATIONS: / —A COIN.— / •••—••• / THOMAS L. ELDER. / COIN DEALER, / 32 EAST / 23RD ST., / NEW YORK CITY. Dies unsigned, but attributed to the C.H. Hanson Company of Chicago by DeLorey. A few light marks, but still lustrous and uncirculated. **\$250**

One of only 50 struck in brass, according to DeLorey. A well-known Elder card, struck in a variety of metals (see following).



More Enduring than Books... in Copper

39 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD ISSUED 1906–07 EXTOLLING THE PERMANENCE OF COINS. DeLorey 5. Copper. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 10.69 g. Obverse: bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right, 1789 1889 above, INAUGURAL CENTENNIAL IN NEW YORK around. Reverse text: MORE ENDURING THAN BOOKS, / OR / CUSTOMS, / OR NATIONS: / —A COIN.— / •••—••• / THOMAS L. ELDER. / COIN DEALER, / 32 EAST / 23RD ST., / NEW YORK CITY. Dies unsigned, but attributed to the C.H. Hanson Company of Chicago by DeLorey. Uncirculated, with a couple areas of darker toning. **\$250**

One of only 50 struck in copper, according to DeLorey. A well-known Elder card, struck in a variety of metals (see above and below).



More Enduring than Books... in Aluminum

40 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD ISSUED 1906–07 EXTOLLING THE PERMANENCE OF COINS. DeLorey 5. Aluminum. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 3.38 g. Obverse: bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right, 1789 1889 above, INAUGURAL CENTENNIAL IN NEW YORK around. Reverse text: MORE ENDURING THAN BOOKS, / OR / CUSTOMS, / OR NATIONS: / —A COIN.— / •••—••• / THOMAS L. ELDER. / COIN DEALER, / 32 EAST / 23RD ST., / NEW YORK CITY. Dies unsigned, but attributed to the C.H. Hanson Company of Chicago by DeLorey. Some light marks and scratches; about uncirculated. **\$100**

One of 261 specimens struck in aluminum, according to DeLorey. A well-known Elder card, struck in a variety of metals (see above).



Rare Elder Token Commemorating the 1910 ANA Convention & Peter Mougey Sale

41 Elder, Thomas L. STORE CARD COMMEMORATING 1910 ANA CONVENTION AND HIS AUCTION OF THE PETER MOUGEY COLLECTION. DeLorey 13. Aluminum. Plain edge. 30.8 mm. 3.19 g. Obverse: bust of Washington, right, GEORGE to left, WASHINGTON to right, 1789 1889 above, INAUGURAL CENTENNIAL IN NEW YORK around. Reverse text: ★ / STRUCK TO COMMEMORATE / SALE OF / THE MOUGEY COLLECTION / OF COINS, / SEPT. 1, 2 & 3. / AND A.N.A. CONVENTION, / NEW YORK 1910. THOMAS L. ELDER / NUMISMATIST / -- / 32 E. 23RD STREET. Dies unsigned, though probably by Hanson (obverse from his inventory, according to DeLorey). Some scuffs and nicks. About uncirculated. **\$325**

One of the more notable Elder productions, commemorating not only an ANA Convention, but one of his most famous auction sales. Elder timed the Mougey sale to take place the week before the ANA Convention started in the same city, hoping to entice attendees to extend their stay.



Empire Coin Company Store Card

42 Empire Coin Company. STORE CARD FEATURING IMMUNIS COLUMBIA / EAGLE MOTIF. Antiqued bronze [?]. Plain edge. 28.8 mm. 11.48 g. Obverse: seated Columbia with scales, right, legend EMPIRE COIN COMPANY, INC. surrounding. Reverse: eagle perched on branch, wings spread, holding wreath aloft in beak, legend PROFESSIONAL NUMISMATISTS surrounding. Dies unsigned, but by Alphonse Kolb (Bastian Brothers, Rochester). Uncirculated. **\$35**

Produced in the early 1960s for Empire Coin Company (Q. David Bowers and James F. Ruddy) of Johnson City, New York. Examples also exist in silver.



Albert Grinnell Token Struck for 1940 ANA Convention, with Original Envelope

43 Grinnell, Albert. PERSONAL CARD FEATURING ABRAHAM LINCOLN STRUCK FOR DISTRIBUTION AT 1940 ANA CONVENTION. Aluminum. Plain edge. 28.7 mm. 2.82 g. Obverse: bust of Lincoln, right, 16TH PRESIDENT, U.S.A. / 1861 / 1865-65 above, ABRAHAM LINCOLN below. Reverse: six-pointed star above which reads (curved) LIFE MEMBER #20 A.N.A., with text below star reading ALBERT A. GRINNELL / NUMISMATIST / 1515 WOODWARD / AVENUE / (curved) DETROIT, MICHIGAN. Dies unsigned. Housed in original printed coin envelope. Envelope a bit worn, but fully intact. Token uncirculated. **\$65**

In the October 1940 issue of *The Numismatist* (page 698), we read the following from the reports of the annual convention held in August: "At 3:30 it was still raining, and at that hour the party boarded buses and private cars for the Detroit Golf Club, where we were the guests at a complimentary dinner given by A.A. Grinnell, a member of the Detroit Coin Club and one of our best-known collectors. At each place had been placed an aluminum token struck for Mr. Grinnell for the occasion. The obverse bore the bust of Lincoln. The reverse read: 'Life Member No. 20, A.N.A. Albert A. Grinnell, Numismatist, 1515 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.' The dinner was one of the most enjoyable features of the entire convention, and Mr. Grinnell was congratulated on all sides for being an ideal host."



Albert Grinnell Token Struck for 1940 ANA Convention

44 Grinnell, Albert. PERSONAL CARD FEATURING ABRAHAM LINCOLN STRUCK FOR DISTRIBUTION AT 1940 ANA CONVENTION. Aluminum. Plain edge. 28.7 mm. 2.82 g. Obverse: bust of Lincoln, right, 16TH PRESIDENT, U.S.A. / 1861 / 1865–65 above, ABRAHAM LINCOLN below. Reverse: six-pointed star above which reads (curved) LIFE MEMBER #20 A.N.A., with text below star reading ALBERT A. GRINNELL / NUMISMATIST / 1515 WOODWARD / AVENUE / (curved) DETROIT, MICHIGAN. Dies unsigned. Some minor scuffs; about uncirculated. **\$40**

Another example of the above, but without its original coin envelope.



Albert Grinnell “Honor the Living” Medal

45 [Grinnell, Albert]. Detroit Coin Club. MEDAL AWARDED FOR ADVANCEMENT OF NUMISMATIC SCIENCE. Bronze. Plain edge. 37.9 mm. 17.63 g. Obverse: bust of Grinnell, left, ALBERT AVERY GRINNELL above, stars to left and right, FOR ADVANCEMENT OF / NUMISMATIC SCIENCE in two lines below. Reverse: central wreath tied with ribbon, HONOR / THE / LIVING within, COMMEMORATING 400TH MEETING DETROIT COIN CLUB around, JANUARY 23, 1941 / DETROIT, MICH. below. Small 2 at top of wreath below surrounding legend (see comments). Obverse signed AUG. C. FRANK. Lacquered. Uncirculated. **\$65**

Included in the listing of related medals in Kleeberg and Alexander's *An Island of Civility: The Centennial History of the New York Numismatic Club* (page 273). The “Honor the Living” medals were first produced by the California Coin Club, who issued them for Howard R. Newcomb (see the example included in this list under “Newcomb”) and Augustus G. Heaton before disbanding. The Detroit Coin Club picked up the series, but appears only to have issued this medal. It is notable that the current specimen has a number 2 at the top of the wreath that is clearly in the die and is not in the illustration in *Island of Civility*. This may be a restrike.



Undated Guttag Brothers Store Card

46 Guttag Brothers. STORE CARD ADVERTISING RARE COINS. Gilt copper [?]. Plain edge. 29.7 mm. 9.00 g. Obverse: nude seated female, left, symbolizing wisdom, holding aloft the lamp of knowledge and in her lap an open book, with seated boy to right examining a coin, floral spray behind; in exergue, RARE COINS. Reverse: text reading (curved) GUTTAG BROS. / DOLLAR / BONDS / FOREIGN MONEY / BANK / STOCKS / (curved) NEW YORK. “GB” copyright mark on obverse, along with monogram of artist Jonathan M. Swanson behind the head of the woman. A well-preserved piece with mottled gilt coloration. About uncirculated. **\$75**

An attractive and scarce store card, presumably issued in the mid-1920s when the pair issued other cards (see below). Apparently produced by the Medallic Art Company.



1923 Gutttag Brothers Store Card in Gilt Copper

47 Gutttag Brothers. STORE CARD PROMOTING COIN WEEK. Gilt copper [?]. Plain edge. 29.7 mm. 8.65 g. Obverse: nude seated female, left, symbolizing wisdom, holding aloft the lamp of knowledge and in her lap an open book, with seated boy to right examining a coin, floral spray behind; in exergue, COIN WEEK / ORIGINATED / 1923. Reverse: text reading (curved) GUTTAG BROS. / RARE / COINS / BOUGHT / AND / SOLD / (curved) - NEW YORK -. "GB" copyright mark on obverse, along with monogram of artist Jonathan M. Swanson behind the head of the woman. Gilt a bit rubbed and relegated to protected areas; a few nicks. Extremely fine. **\$50**

The Gutttag Brothers' store cards were issued in a variety of different compositions, including copper, bronze, brass, zinc, lead, aluminum, silver, gold, antiqued bronze, gilt copper, a magnesium alloy and possibly others.



1923 Gutttag Brothers Store Card in Silver

48 Gutttag Brothers. STORE CARD PROMOTING COIN WEEK. Silver. Edge marked SILVER, else plain. 29.7 mm. 10.03 g. Obverse: nude seated female, left, symbolizing wisdom, holding aloft the lamp of knowledge and in her lap an open book, with seated boy to right examining a coin, floral spray behind; in exergue, COIN WEEK / ORIGINATED / 1923. Reverse: text reading (curved) GUTTAG BROS. / RARE / COINS / BOUGHT / AND / SOLD / (curved) - NEW YORK -. "GB" copyright mark on obverse, along with monogram of artist Jonathan M. Swanson behind the head of the woman. Spotting on both sides. About uncirculated. **\$100**

Quite scarce in silver.



1926 Gutttag Brothers Store Card

49 Gutttag Brothers. STORE CARD PROMOTING THE INTERNATIONAL PHILATELIC EXHIBITION. Antiqued bronze. Plain edge. 29.6 mm. 8.60 g. Obverse: busts of Lincoln (left) and Washington (right), facing each other and resting on laurels; above, INTERNATIONAL PHILATELIC EXHIBITION, below, NEW YORK 1926. Reverse: text reading (curved) GUTTAG BROS. / COINS / SEND FOR / SELLING LIST / (curved) - NEW YORK -. Dies unsigned. A few very small and not distracting marks. Light pink and blue toning; uncirculated. **\$100**

A well-preserved specimen of this scarcer store card.



Leon Hendrickson Numismatist Token

50 Hendrickson, Leon. NUMISMATIST TOKEN. Aluminum. Reeded edge. 39.1 mm. Obverse: stylized bust of bearded man facing right with pipe in mouth (decidedly not Hendrickson). Reverse text: (curved) NUMISMATIST / LEON / HENDRICKSON / Box 424 / Winchester / Ind. Minor scuffs. About uncirculated. **\$20**

An unusual token from the founder of SilverTowne.



1930 N.S. Hopkins Numismatist Token in Copper

51 Hopkins, N.S. 1930 NUMISMATIST TOKEN IN COPPER. Copper. Plain edge. 24.8 mm. 4.62 g. Obverse text: (curved) N.S. HOPKINS / A.N.A. / NUMISMATIST / NO. 3495 / — / (curved) WILLIAMSVILLE, N.Y. Reverse: (curved) BUFFALO COIN CLUB / NO. / 24 / (curved) — 1930 — . Mostly red uncirculated with a few spots.

\$30

Hopkins struck tokens of this basic design dated both 1929 and 1930, and in aluminum, brass and copper, for several different total varieties and combinations.



Iowa Numismatic Association Medals

52 Iowa Numismatic Association. BRONZE 1941 IOWA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION MEDALS. Includes two bronze medal, one struck with polished finish, the other matte. Plain edges. 31.9 mm. Obverse: the seal of the Iowa Numismatic Association, being an ear of corn with IOWA to left and NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION to right, FOUNDED 1938 below. Reverse: outline of Iowa in center, flanked by stars; CONVENTION / MAY 17-18 above; 1941 / DAVENPORT, IOWA below. Obverse die signed A and B for Marjorie Ankeny and William M. Baker. Reverse signed J.H. RIPSTRA for J. Henri Ripstra of Chicago, the manufacturer. A few minor marks. Uncirculated.

\$50

The Iowa Numismatic Association had struck medals as early as their founding year, and medals using this obverse were issued for the 1946 ANA convention medal (see following section). The two medals present here differ in weight by almost three grams, suggesting that they were manufactured in entirely different batches.



1948 Frank Katen ANA Convention

Souvenir Medal

53 Katen, Frank. SOUVENIR MEDAL DISTRIBUTED AT 1948 ANA CONVENTION IN BOSTON. Brass. Plain edge. 31.9 mm. 11.11 g. Obverse: in center, FRANK J. KATEN / NEW / HAVEN, / CONN. above, LIFE MEMBER, below, ★★A.N.A. . Reverse: SOUVENIR / OF THE / 1948 A.N.A. / BOSTON, MASS. / CONVENTION / AUCTIONEER. Lustrous uncirculated, with a few marks.

\$50

Katen conducted the 1948 ANA Convention's auction, the only time he was given that honor. A scarce medal with a direct tie-in to a numismatic auction catalogue.



Die Trials for George F. Kolbe Token

54 Kolbe, George F. DIE TRIALS FOR "GOOD FOR \$2.50 IN TRADE" TOKEN. Two pieces, being separate obverse and reverse die trials for Kolbe's 1988 "Good For" token, struck in lead or a similar soft metal. 31.01 and 31.23 g. Virtually as struck.

\$150

Unique die trials for this larger-size Kolbe token. The token itself was included in Henry Morris's *Trade Tokens of British and American Booksellers & Bookmakers, with Specimens of Eleven Original Tokens Struck Especially for This Book* (1989). Some 200 of the tokens were also included in selected copies of Kolbe Sale 44 (June 1990, featuring selections from the John W. Adams library) as well as the hardcover editions of that sale. Others were distributed individually.



George F. Kolbe Tokens

55 Kolbe, George F. **GOOD FOR \$2.50 IN TRADE TO-KEN**. 1988. 28.7 mm. 11.67 g. Copper. Obverse: George F. Kolbe logo (VERITAS VISV ET MORA / 1967) of a book atop a column flanked by rays of light. Reverse text: GEORGE FREDERICK KOLBE / FINE NUMISMATIC BOOKS / CRESTLINE CALIFORNIA / 1988 / GOOD FOR \$2.50 IN TRADE within concentric circles. [with] **RARE NUMISMATIC BOOKS STORECARD**. Undated (between 1978 and 1980). 20.3 mm. 3.49 g. Copper. Obverse: book design with **RARE NUMISMATIC BOOKS** within, **GEORGE F. KOLBE** above, phone number and address below. Reverse a stock die based on the Pine Tree coinage of Massachusetts. Two pieces, both red uncirculated. **\$30**

As discussed above, the larger-size token was made for inclusion in Henry Morris's book about bookseller tokens. The second piece here was produced by the Patrick Mint, probably with a mintage of 1000 or so and probably closer to 1978 than 1980.

1939 Abe Kosoff ANA Convention Souvenir Medal, in Original Printed Coin Envelope

56 Kosoff, Abe. **SOUVENIR MEDAL DISTRIBUTED AT 1939 ANA CONVENTION IN NEW YORK**. Aluminum. Plain edge. 31.9 mm. 2.83 g. Obverse: large A Kosoff in center, with the A and K conjoined (see comments); above, curved splitting text reading **FAIR DATE IN N.Y. / FAIR DEAL AT**; below, **122 EAST 57th ST. / (curved) NEW YORK CITY**. Reverse text: **1939 / ANNUAL / CONVENTION / AMERICAN / NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION / —•— / (curved) SEPT. 30–OCT. 5**. In original printed coin envelope reading: **Convention / Souvenir / 1939 / Compliments of / A. KOSOFF / Numismatist / 122 E. 57th ST. / Plaza 8-2656 / N.Y.C.** Envelope lacks flap. Light toning to medal; uncirculated. **\$75**

An early piece of Kosoff memorabilia. The 1939 ANA Convention was held from September 30 through October 5 at the Hotel Pennsylvania in New York. Kosoff had just gone into business two years earlier, and wouldn't hold his first auction until the following June. These medals play on the motifs of the ongoing 1939 World's Fair, in particular styling the AK in the conjoined "AKosoff" to resemble the famous Tylon and Perisphere.

1939 Abe Kosoff ANA Convention Souvenir Medal

57 Kosoff, Abe. **SOUVENIR MEDAL DISTRIBUTED AT 1939 ANA CONVENTION IN NEW YORK**. Aluminum. Plain edge. 31.9 mm. 2.83 g. Obverse: large A Kosoff in center, with the A and K conjoined (see comments); above, curved splitting text reading **FAIR DATE IN N.Y. / FAIR DEAL AT**; below, **122 EAST 57th ST. / (curved) NEW YORK CITY**. Reverse text: **1939 / ANNUAL / CONVENTION / AMERICAN / NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION / —•— / (curved) SEPT. 30–OCT. 5**. Light toning to medal; uncirculated. **\$50**

Another example of the above, but without the printed envelope.





Kreisberg Token Commemorating Bergen Sale of 1979

58 Kreisberg Corporation, Abner. COMMEMORATIVE TOKEN FOR 1979 SALE OF THE HERBERT BERGEN COLLECTION. Polished brass [?]. Plain edge. 32.5 mm. 15.85 g. Obverse based on St. Gaudens \$20 type. Reverse text: TOKEN / COMMORATING SALE OF / HERBERT M. BERGEN / NUMISMATIC COLLECTION / BY ABNER KREISBERG CORP. / BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA / AT CENTURY PLAZA HOTEL / OCTOBER 4-5-6 / 1979. Uncirculated. **\$20**
Bergen was the President of the ANA 1969-70.



Robert Hepworth Lloyd 1932 and 1935 Tokens

59 Lloyd, Robert Hepworth. 1932 NUMISMATIST TOKEN. Brass. Plain edge. 29.4 mm. 7.30 g. Obverse text: (curved) ROBERT HEPWORTH LLOYD / NORTH / (curved) TONAWANDA / N.Y. / --- / (curved) - NUMISMATIST -. Reverse: in center, MEMBER / COIN CLUBS / 1932, marginal legend - ANA - ANS - BNA - / - DCC - MNA - CCSC -. A bit dusty, but lustrous and uncirculated. [with] Lloyd, Robert Hepworth. 1935 NUMISMATIST TOKEN. Aluminum. Plain edge. 29.4 mm. 2.36 g. Obverse text: (curved) ROBERT HEPWORTH LLOYD / NORTH / (curved) TONAWANDA / N.Y. / --- / (curved) - NUMISMATIST -. Reverse: in center, THE / COIN CLUB / HELPS / YOUR / (curved) COLLECTING, marginal legend - ANA DIST. SEC'Y WESTERN NY - 1935. Obverse badly scratched, with many nicks to reverse as well. The pair for **\$45**

Robert H. Lloyd was elected to the ANA Board in 1930, the youngest member to be so at the time. Lloyd would receive his 75-year membership pin in 2001, being the first member ever to reach that milestone. These Lloyd tokens are very similar to the Hopkins token above and I suspect they were produced by the same firm.



B. Max Mehl Good Luck Token

60 Mehl, B. Max. GOOD LUCK TOKEN. Copper. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 11.29 g. Obverse: horseshoe, B. MAX MEHL above, NUMISMATIST - FORT WORTH, TEXAS below, GOOD / LUCK / BE / WITH / YOU within. Reverse: cartoon animal in center, twirling its tail as a lasso (see comments). Red uncirculated. **\$40**

Frank Van Valen once described the character on what I'm calling the reverse as "a standing armadillo whirling its tail like a lasso while draped in a toga!" I'm not sure this is an entirely accurate description, but I am certain I can't do any better. A nice example of this admittedly odd token.

More Good Luck

61 Mehl, B. Max. GOOD LUCK TOKEN. Copper. Plain edge. 30.7 mm. 10.49 g. Obverse: horseshoe, B. MAX MEHL above, NUMISMATIST - FORT WORTH, TEXAS below, GOOD / LUCK / BE / WITH / YOU within. Reverse: cartoon animal in center, twirling its tail as a lasso. Brown, extremely fine. **\$20**

Another example of the above, faded to brown.



1959 Metropolitan New York Convention

62 Metropolitan New York Numismatic Convention. 1959 METROPOLITAN NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CONVENTION BADGE. Brassy metal uniface badge, 31.3 mm diameter, with loop at top but no ribbon. Nine stars surrounded by circle in middle, 19 to left, 58 to right; METROPOLITAN / NEW YORK above, NUMISMATIC / CONVENTION below. A bit rubbed. **\$20**

The Metropolitan New York Numismatic Convention became one of the premier coin shows in the country in the post-war years (it began to be held again in 1955 after ceasing operations years before).

1966 Metropolitan New York Convention

63 Metropolitan New York Numismatic Convention. 1966 METROPOLITAN NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CONVENTION MEDAL. Brassy uniface medal. 38.2 mm. 23.33 g. Semi-nude figure of History holding a book in one hand and a coin in the other, METROPOLITAN NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CONVENTION above, 1966 below. Uncirculated. **\$35**

An attractive design by Carl Gruppe, whose signature can faintly be seen on this example.

New York Numismatic Club: Frank C. Higgins Serial Number 2 of the Club's First Medal

64 New York Numismatic Club. PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL HONORING FRANK C. HIGGINS. Bronze. Edge lettered WHITEHEAD HOAG with serial number 2. 38.2 mm. 32.71 g. Obverse: bust of Higgins, left, surrounding legend FRANK C. HIGGINS, F.R.N.S. FIRST PRESIDENT, with MCMVIII-MCMX below. Reverse: first seal of the NYNC, being two arms and hands, the left hand holding a coin and the right a magnifying glass, ORG. DEC. / 1908 below left hand, surrounding legend THE NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB. Dies unsigned, but by Victor David Brenner. Tiniest bit of rubbing to high points. Very near uncirculated. **\$300**

An exceptional medal, designed and engraved by Victor David Brenner and the first in the long (and continuing) series of Presidential Medals of the New York Numismatic Club. One of only 111 struck, including one in gold and possibly three in silver. Remarkably, the serial number on this example is 2. Discussed in Kleeberg and Alexander's *An Island of Civility: The Centennial History of the New York Numismatic Club* (pages 157-160).

New York Numismatic Club: F.C.C. Boyd

65 New York Numismatic Club. PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL HONORING F.C.C. BOYD. Variant 1. Bronze. Edge lettered MEDALLIC ART CO. NY with serial number 29. 38.0 mm. 23.04 g. Obverse: bust of Boyd, right, to left F.C.C. BOYD, to right PRESIDENT / NEW YORK / NUMISMATIC / CLUB 1916-17. Reverse: first seal of the NYNC, being two arms and hands, the left hand holding a coin and the right a magnifying glass, ORG. DEC. / 1908 below left hand, surrounding legend THE NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB. Obverse signed with a JMS monogram for Jonathan M. Swanson; reverse unsigned, but by Victor David Brenner. Light rubbing to high points. About uncirculated. **\$200**

One of the more popular NYNC Presidential Medals, given the esteem in which Boyd is held. This is the first variant, using the first NYNC club medal reverse. One of only 50 struck in bronze, plus one each in gold and silver for Boyd. Discussed in Kleeberg and Alexander's *An Island of Civility: The Centennial History of the New York Numismatic Club* (pages 165-167).



New York Numismatic Club: Henry Grunthal

66 New York Numismatic Club. **PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL HONORING HENRY GRUNTHAL.** Bronze. Edge lettered MEDALLIC ART CO. N.Y. with serial number 77. 37.7 mm. 37.31 g. Obverse: bust of Grunthal, left, to left HENRY / GRUNTHAL, to right 1970 / 71. Reverse: second seal of the NYNC, featuring a torch-bearing figure in classical garb holding a coin, monuments of antiquity illuminated behind, surrounding legend THE NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB / • ORGANIZED 1908 • . Obverse signed with a KG monogram for Karl Gruppe; reverse signed with a JMS monogram for Jonathan M. Swanson. Uncirculated. **\$75**

Mintage unknown. Discussed in Kleeberg and Alexander's *An Island of Civility: The Centennial History of the New York Numismatic Club* (page 191).



Howard R. Newcomb "Honor the Living" Medal

67 [Newcomb, Howard R.]. California Coin Club. **MEDAL AWARDED FOR ADVANCEMENT OF NUMISMATIC SCIENCE.** Bronze. Plain edge. 37.8 mm. 16.08 g. Obverse: facing (three-quarters) bust of Newcomb, HOWARD ROUNDS NEWCOMB above, stars to left and right, FOR ADVANCEMENT OF / NUMISMATIC SCIENCE in two lines below. Reverse: central wreath tied with ribbon, HONOR / THE / LIVING within, FIRST ANNIVERSARY CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB around, JANUARY 29, 1929 / LOS ANGELES. below. Obverse truncation signed AUG. C. FRANK. A few spots and a bit of rub; about uncirculated. **\$100**

Included in the listing of related medals in Kleeberg and Alexander's *An Island of Civility: The Centennial History of the New York Numismatic Club* (page 271). The "Honor the Living" medals were first produced by the California Coin Club, who issued them for Howard R. Newcomb and Augustus G. Heaton before disbanding. The Detroit Coin Club picked up the series, but appears only to have issued one medal, for Alfred Grinnell (see the example included in this list under "Grinnell").



Bicentennial of the New Jersey Copper

68 Northern Valley Coin Club. **SMALL MEDAL COMMEMORATING THE BICENTENNIAL OF THE NEW JERSEY COPPER.** Copper? 27.8 mm. 9.02 g. Obverse with basic design of New Jersey copper (nag's head and plow, no coulter), NOVA CAESAREA above, 1786-1986 under plowbeam. Reverse with shield design, surroundign legend E PLURIBUS UNUM, within shield N.V.C.C. / THE / GARDEN / STATE. Uncirculated. **\$25**

Distributed by the Northern Valley Coin Club of Demarest, New Jersey and based on the Maris 7-E Date Under Plowbeam variety of New Jersey copper.



Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association Medal

69 Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association. **TENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION MEDAL.** 1953. Brass. 39.1 mm. Struck for the tenth annual convention, held in Centralia, Washington, May 16-17, 1953. Welcomes the Evergreen Coin Club, Inland Empire Coin Club, and Oakridge Coin Club. Toned AU. **\$30** Classified as C53-01 on the PNNA's online catalogue of their issues.



Penn-Ohio Coin Club Medals

70 Penn-Ohio Coin Club. **GROUP OF FIVE MEDALS.** Five pieces including a lovely 1968 joint production with the Greater Dayton Numismatic Society struck in .999 silver, along with a second example in brass. Also included are a 1959 exhibitor's medal in aluminum, a 1964 sterling silver 25th anniversary medal, and a wooden nickel produced for the club's Fall Convention hosted by the Youngstown Numismatic Club. Generally uncirculated or nearly so.

\$75

Includes some nice medals from what at the time was a pretty important regional coin club.



Penn-Ohio Coin Club Badges

71 Penn-Ohio Coin Club. **GROUP OF SEVEN SHOW BADGES MEDALS.** Seven die struck pieces, six of them with ribbons. Includes: two October 1965 (Youngstown) badges, one with the ribbon; two 1966 (Dayton) show badges, one with a plain ribbon, one with a Dealer ribbon, struck in different alloys; J. William Ross's 1967 (Columbus) dealer badge; a Guest badge for the March 1968 (Dayton) show; and an attractive badge for the November 1968 (Reading) show. Ribbons generally a little worn; badges with only minor wear.

\$75

Includes some attractive pieces.





Glenn A. Rome Token

72 Rome, Glenn A. PERSONAL CARD. Undated (1980s?). Aluminum. Plain edge. Obverse: surrounding legend, GLENN A. ROME ★ SEATTLE, WASH. 98146 ★, in center, P.O. BOX / BOX / 46071. Reverse: surrounding legend, METCA CHARTER NO. 33 ★ ★ ★, in center, GOOD FOR / 1 TOKEN. Uncirculated. **\$15** METCA was the Merchant Token Collectors Association, publisher of *Trade Token Topics*.

Royal Coin Company Store Card

73 Royal Coin Company. 10TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE STORE CARD. Nickel [?]. Scalloped edge. Diameter varies between 24 and 25 mm. 5.11 g. Obverse: reproduction of a Pine Tree shilling obverse. Reverse: marginal legend ROYAL COIN COMPANY / NEW YORK, N.Y. – REVERE, MASS., center text 1942–1952 / S. ALBERT EISENBERG / PRESIDENT / JEROME M. EISENBERG / MANAGER / COINS–MEDALS / CURRENCY. Dies unsigned. Uncirculated. **\$25** An attractive token. See the listing for Collectors Club of Boston for a later use of the same obverse die. The ANS has a specimen catalogued as silver in their collection.

Frank R. Schell Token

74 Schell, Frank R. PERSONAL CARD. 1971. Brass. Plain edge. Obverse: FRANK R. SCHELL / 1971 / TWIN FALLS, / IDAHO. Reverse: P.O. BOX 1122 / IDAHO / TOKENS / WANTED. Nicely toned uncirculated. **\$15** Schell was the author of *Idaho Merchants' Tokens, 1865–1970*.

James Ten Eyck Masonic Medal

75 [Ten Eyck, James] Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons. MASONIC MEDAL STRUCK TO COMMEMORATE THE DEDICATION OF THE UTICA ASYLUM. 5892 (i.e., 1892). Marvin 1237. Bronze. Plain edge. 39.9 mm. 20.90 g. Obverse: inscription in eight lines, the first, fourth and last curving, STRUCK BY THE GRAND LODGE / OF / F. AND A. M. / STATE OF NEW YORK, / THE M. W. / JAMES TEN EYCK, / BEING / GRAND MASTER. Reverse: olive wreath tied with a bow, text TO / COMMEMORATE / THE DEDICATION OF / THE ASYLUM / AT UTICA, N.Y., OCT. 5. 5892 with square and compass enclosing G within. Dies unsigned. Scattered marks, but nothing distracting. Nice red-brown color. Extremely fine. **\$100** A striking Masonic medal with a neat numismatic tie-in, James Ten Eyck having formed a major coin collection that comprised one of B. Max Mehl's first blockbuster sales. The medal is dated using the Masonic Anno Lucis system.

Nelson T. Thorson, Numismatist

76 Thorson, Nelson T. PERSONAL CARD. Undated. Brass. Plain edge. 24.8 mm. 5.26 g. Obverse text reading (curved) NELSON T. THORSON / • OMAHA, NEB. •, with NUMISMATIST curved around a six-pointed star in center. Reverse text, (large) A–N–A in center with smaller LIFE above and MEMBER below. Dies unsigned. A few spots; light natural toning. Uncirculated. **\$35**

Nelson Thorson served as ANA President from 1933 to 1935, and had previously been in the position of Chairman of the Board of Governors. He was the owner of the *Omaha-Posten* newspaper and was also the proprietor of the Coin & Stamp Exchange of Omaha. This personal card may precede his term as ANA President, as one would think he would mention his current or past status on such a token.



Tri-State Coin & Stamp Convention Badges for 1931-36

77 Tri-State Coin & Stamp Carnival/Convention. 1931-36 CARNIVAL/CONVENTION BADGES. Jamestown & Buffalo, New York. The second through seventh official Tri-State Annual June Convention badges. Various designs, all but the third with gilt-printed ribbons, all with pin bars. Ribbon of 1931 badge worn, generally XF-AU. Also included is a "Special Award for Exhibit" blue ribbon with pin bar for the 1933 convention. Seven items total. **\$100**

These rare badges feature a variety of innovative designs, at least three of which were made by the Bastian Brothers Company, of Rochester, New York.

Large Group of Modern Numismatist Tokens, Convention Medals, &c.

78 Various. COLLECTION OF MODERN NUMISMATIST TOKENS, CONVENTION BADGES AND MEDALS, STORE CARDS, PROMOTIONAL PIECES, ETC. A rather large group of over 75 pieces, including struck tokens or medals as follows:

Mrs. A.M. Ripstra's 1956 Central States Numismatic Society convention medal; George Kolbe's 1984 EAC Convention California Host medal; a 1984 EAC Convention memento made for George Kolbe being a cull Classic Head large cent with GEORGE stamped on one side and EAC / CALIF / 84 on the other; Hawthorne, California 1964 and 1965 Coin Expo medals; a Lombardo Mint medal; a 1966 "Good For" store card for Clarence E. Heppner; a 1959 Westchester County Coin Club 25th anniversary medal; a 1969 Westchester County Coin Club 35th anniversary medal; a 1974 Westchester County Coin Club 40th anniversary medal; a 1993 CVM silver round (1 oz. .999 silver), as well as examples in copper and bronze; Convention of International Numismatics medals for 1971, 1981, 1982 and 1985; an elongated Washington quarter made by the NLG for the 1991 ANA Centennial convention; an elongated Lincoln cent made by the Michigan State Numismatic Society for the 1991 ANA Centennial convention; five 1961 Lincoln cents, each in its own envelope and wildly toned as a result, distributed at the 1961 Penn-Ohio convention; P.K. Anderson's 1963 ANA Presidential token; a medal struck for the Brooklyn Coin Club's 30th anniversary in 1962; an encased Lincoln cent made for Ray Holmes; FUN convention medals for 1970, 1971 and 1974; a good luck token for Fankhauser Coin Service; 1967 and 1968 Louisiana Numismatic Association medals; a red unc example of George F. Kolbe's cent-size Rare Numismatic Books token, struck with a Pine Tree shilling design; 1967 Allegheny-Kiski Valley Numismatic Society medals struck in two different alloys; Joseph Foster's cent-size numismatist token with a Pine Tree shilling design; 1964 and 1967 California State Numismatic Association medals; 1962 and 1974 Central States Numismatic Society convention medals; a Carl Wolf & Company limited edition promotional medal struck for the 1991 ANA Centennial convention; Tony Teranova's store card, with a Brasher doubloon design; a medal celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Red Book; Ray Byrne's Retail Coin Dealers Association medal; a Sol Kaplan store card struck with the Flying Eagle design; an Almanzar's store card struck with an Indian cent design; an NLG 10th anniversary (1977) medal; David Alexander's numismatist token, struck with an Indian cent design; a Japanese American Numismatics Society medal; a Beau Kappa store card with a shekel design; a Patrick Mint store card with an Indian cent design; another, with a Liberty Hall design;



four additional tokens struck by the Patrick Mint advertising various non-numismatic businesses; two Lincoln cents die struck to have a New Jersey copper obverse and a depiction of Washington's Morristown, NJ headquarters on the reverses (product of Harold Flarty?); Del Bland's numismatic token, with a Liberty hall design; C.C. Coin Company's store card with an Indian cent design; a 1999 New Jersey state quarter in a holder distributed by Spencer Peck; and a large Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society centennial medal.

Lot also includes other forms of numismatic exnomia, ephemera, and promotional items, including:

a \$5 pre-paid phone card issued for the NYINC show in 1994; a Stack's keychain; an NLG lapel pin; a member's ribbon for the 1991 meeting of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society; a printed ribbon with pin for the California Coin Club's Second Annual Dinner of Jan. 28, 1930 (a bit worn); a pin for the 1964 FUN show; J. Henri Ripstra's Chicago Coin Club pin; three different designs of wooden nickel issued by the Canadian Large Cents Club; a plastic California Exonomist Society issued for their 1968 convention; two world coins and a 1943 Lincoln cent in Torrance Coin Club Christmas 1967 holders; a wooden nickel issued for the Hawthorne, California Coin Expo; a wooden nickel issued by Carl Wolf & Co. for the 1991 ANA Centennial convention;

Varying condition, though generally uncirculated or nearly so. A number of items come in original printed envelopes or other original holders. **\$350**

A really remarkable group of material. While most of these are not worth enough to justify cataloguing individually, this lot should prove fascinating to anyone interested in the history of the hobby in the United States, and a few particularly cool items have deliberately been included to sweeten the pot.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION MEDALS, CONVENTION BADGES, ETC.



1921 Convention Medal

79 American Numismatic Association. 1921 ANA CONVENTION MEDAL. Harris ANA 21.CM 13. Bronze. Plain edge. 24.8 mm. 5.95 g. Features the landing of the Mayflower, for which the host city had just celebrated the tercentenary the year before; ANA seal above; surrounding legend, AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION AUG, 1921, with ★ BOSTON ★ below. Uniface, but for manufacturer's mark (Bastian Bros. Co., Rochester, NY) and union bug. Attractive and uncirculated. **\$200**
Identical to the convention badge, save for the pin-back on the latter. Designed by Frank Shumway. Mintage unknown but Harris estimated an attendance of 80 members plus guests.



1946 ANA Convention Medal in Sterling Silver

80 American Numismatic Association. STERLING SILVER 1946 ANA CONVENTION MEDAL. ANA 46.CM35a. Silver (.925). Plain edge. 31.9 mm. 14.55 g. 12h. Obverse: the seal of the Iowa Numismatic Association, being an ear of corn with IOWA to left and NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION to right, FOUNDED 1938 below. Reverse: outline of Iowa in center, STATE / CENTENNIAL within, 1846 to left and 1946 to right; above, A•N•A / CONVENTION; below, AUG 17-21 / DAVENPORT, IOWA. Obverse die signed A and B for Marjorie Ankeny and William M. Baker. Reverse signed A. KOLB for designer and engraver Alphonse A. Kolb of Rochester, New York. Uncirculated. **\$100**

The Iowa Numismatic Association had struck medals as early as their founding year, and medals using this obverse were issued for their 1941 convention (see previous section). The INA was the host club for the 1946 ANA Convention, held in Davenport, and used the obverse die for the convention medal.



Sterling Iowa Numismatic Association Medal Presented to ANA President V. Leon Belt

81 [American Numismatic Association] Iowa Numismatic Association. STERLING SILVER IOWA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION MEDAL PRESENTED TO ANA PRESIDENT V. LEON BELT DURING THE 1946 CONVENTION IN DAVENPORT. Silver (.925). Plain edge. 31.9 mm. 16.95 g. 12h. Obverse: the seal of the Iowa Numismatic Association, being an ear of corn with IOWA to left and NUMISMATIC / ASSOCIATION to right, FOUNDED 1938 below. Reverse: text reading PRESENTED / TO / V. LEON BELT / IN RECOGNITION / FOR / SERVICES RENDERED / THE / ASSOCIATION, with Belt's name being engraved into the medal and not into the die.

Obverse die signed A and B for Marjorie Ankeny and William M. Baker. Reverse signed RIPSTRA for J. Henri Ripstra of Chicago, the manufacturer. Uncirculated. **\$200**

As discussed above, the Iowa Numismatic Association had struck medals as early as their founding year, and medals using this obverse were issued for their 1941 convention (see previous section). The INA was the host club for the 1946 ANA Convention, held in Davenport, and used this obverse again for the convention medal (see above). While the name of the ANA appears nowhere on this medal, Leon Belt was the ANA President at the time of the 1946 convention and it seems obvious that he would have been presented with this on that occasion, hence its inclusion in this section.



V. Leon Belt's Gold ANA President's Medal

82 American Numismatic Association. **GOLD PRESIDENT'S MEDAL PRESENTED TO OUTGOING 1945-1947 ANA PRESIDENT V. LEON BELT.** Gold (.900). Plain edge. 31.7 mm. 31.01 g. 12h. Obverse: the seal of the American Numismatic Association in center, within three concentric layers within which are (moving outward toward the rim) the words AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION / ORGANIZED 1891, a circle of stars, and a circle of links. Reverse: a laurel wreath, PRESIDENT above, sunburst radiating from bottom center, 1945 / V. LEON BELT / 1947 engraved within three ribbons within sunburst. Reverse signed A.C.F. for the August C. Frank Company, which produced the medal, and J.W. for Julius Windner, who designed it. Nearly perfectly preserved, excepting only a very small rim nick between 11h and 12h on the obverse. Uncirculated. **\$2000**

At the 1947 ANA Convention, held in Buffalo, Col. Joseph Moss, a member of the Board of Governors, introduced a resolution calling on the ANA to "issue a medal, to be known as the President's Medal, to be made of gold, and suitably inscribed, and that this medal be presented to all living past presidents, and to each president upon the conclusion of his term of office." The resolution was adopted and medals were struck for each outgoing president until recent years. At first, the medals were struck in coin gold, and weighed nearly one troy ounce (the present medal contains 0.897 ounces of pure gold in addition to the copper added for alloy); some later medals were struck in 10 karat gold. These medals, being uniquely engraved for each president, are almost never offered on the secondary market. A rare opportunity.



Modern ANA Convention Badges

83 [American Numismatic Association]. **TEN CONVENTION BADGES.** Includes: 1979 (St. Louis) with ribbon and hangar in box; 1980 Mid-Year (Albuquerque) with ribbon and hangar; 1981 (New Orleans) with ribbon and hangar in box; 1982 (Boston) regular size with ribbon and hangar in box; 1982 (Boston) small size with ribbon and hangar; 1983 (San Diego) with ribbon and hangar in box; 1985 (Baltimore) with ribbon and hangar; 1986 (Milwaukee) with ribbon and hangar in box; 1987 (Atlanta) with ribbon and hangar in box; and 1993 (Baltimore) with ribbon and hangar in box. Well-preserved examples, some with occasional light marks. Several with typewritten name labels of George F. Kolbe. **\$150**

George Kolbe's Convention Badges for nine different shows. Includes the small- and regular-size 1982 Boston badges.



1981 Convention Medal in Presentation Box

84 [American Numismatic Association]. 1981 NEW ORLEANS ANA CONVENTION MEDAL, IN PRESENTATION BOX. Bronze medal struck for the 90th anniversary convention of the American Numismatic Association. Signed P. Vincze on both sides. In blue hinged jewelry box, the inside of which is impressed with the ANA's logo in gilt, with text reading OFFICIAL / CONVENTION MEDAL / IN APPRECIATION. Uncirculated. **\$35**

With its theme of "Knowledge through Numismatics," the New Orleans medal is among the more attractive of the modern era.



Glenn Smedley Memorial Award Lapel Pin

85 [American Numismatic Association]. LAPEL PIN FOR THE GLENN SMEDLEY MEMORIAL AWARD. Small oval button with straight pin and separate pin back. In original sealed plastic bag, as issued. As new. **\$50**

The Glenn Smedley Memorial Award is awarded in recognition of outstanding activity in support of the ANA. George F. Kolbe was awarded the honor in 1995.



Miscellaneous ANA Pins

86 [American Numismatic Association]. 1995-1997 ANA PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE LAPEL PIN. Small round button with straight pin and separate pin back. In original stapled plastic bag, as issued. [with] [American Numismatic Association]. 1891 CLUB BUTTON. Large white button promoting the 1891 Club with integral pin. Minor wear. **\$25**

The 1891 Club was a fundraising effort for the ANA's centennial celebration in 1991.



WORLD EXONUMIA



Medal Commemorating Polish Numismatist Kazimierz Stronczyński

87 MEDAL STRUCK IN HONOR OF NUMISMATIST KAZIMIERZ STRONCZYŃSKI. Yellow bronze with darker patina. 59.5 mm. Obverse with bust of Stronczyński, left, legend KAZIMIERZ STRONCZYŃSKI / 1809–96. Reverse with plaque reading TWORCA SYSTEMA-TYKI MONET PIASTOWSKICH. A few minor marks at cheeks; light rub at highest obverse point and a bit on the reverse lettering. Extremely fine. **\$75**

Stronczyński (1809–96) is best remembered today for his classic *Dawne monety Polskie, dynastyi piastów i jagielonow*, one of the finest works on Polish coinage ever written.



Medal Commemorating Italian Numismatist Guido Antonio Zanetti

88 MEDAL STRUCK IN HONOR OF NUMISMATIST GUIDO ANTONIO ZANETTI. White metal. 59.5 mm. Obverse with facing bust of Zanetti, produced in very high relief, legend EQ GUIDO ZANETTUS ITALICAE MONETAE SCRIPTOR; reverse depicting scales, legend IN HAC HISTORIAM CASTIGES. Marks in obverse and reverse fields, including some scratches. Very fine. **\$60** Zanetti (1741–91) is best remembered today for his *Nuova raccolta delle monete e zecche d'Italia* (1775–89). This medal is depicted in the 1889 volume of the *Rivista italiana di numismatica*, though this example may be a later production. It is an unusual piece, with extremely high obverse relief, and its exact manner of production is unclear to us.



Shanghai Mint Medal for Dai Baoting

89 Shanghai Mint. MEDAL STRUCK IN HONOR OF NUMISMATIST DAI BAOTING. Bronze. 60 mm. 1994. Obverse with facing bust of Dai; reverse depicts the Shao-Xing Tong Bao coinage. In original packaging in red cloth sack with drawstrings. **\$50**
An attractive design.



Shanghai Mint Medal for Peng Xinwei

90 Shanghai Mint. MEDAL STRUCK IN HONOR OF NUMISMATIST PENG XINWEI. Bronze. 60 mm. 1994. Obverse with facing bust of Peng; reverse depicts his masterwork. In original packaging in red cloth sack with drawstrings. **\$50**
Peng (1907–67) was the general editor of the *Monetary History of China*.